## RESOLUTION 2694

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WESTERN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT TO DRAFT A GROUNDWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE ARLINGTON GROUNDWATER BASIN

WHEREAS, the Western Municipal Water District ("WMWD") was formed by the voters in 1954 for the purpose of importing water supplies from the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California; and

WHEREAS, WMWD is a local public water agency as defined by Water Code section 10752(g) that provides water service within its service area and is thus authorized pursuant to Water Code section 10750 et seq. to prepare, adopt and implement a groundwater management plan within all or a portion of WMWD's service area; and

WHEREAS, WMWD's service area includes all or a portion of the Arlington Groundwater Basin ("Basin"), which Basin is not subject to groundwater management pursuant to other provisions of law or a court order, judgment or decree; and

WHEREAS, the preparation and adoption of a groundwater management plan for the Basin pursuant to Water Code section 10750 et seq. will help identify sound objectives, protocols and mechanisms for effective groundwater management for the provision of safe, reliable and sustainable water supplies in the Basin; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the requirements of Water Code section 10753.2, WMWD published notice in compliance with Government Code section 6066 of a hearing of the Board of Directors of WMWD on whether or not to adopt a resolution of intention to draft a groundwater management plan for the Basin; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of WMWD conducted and concluded a public hearing on November 03, 2010 on whether or not to adopt a resolution of intention to draft a groundwater management plan for the Basin.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Directors of the Western Municipal Water District as follows:

Section 1. All of the foregoing Recitals are true and correct and the Board so finds and determines. The Recitals set forth above are incorporated herein and made an operative part of this Resolution.

Section 2. The Board hereby adopts this Resolution of Intention to draft a groundwater management plan for the Arlington Groundwater Basin in accordance with the provisions of Water Code section 10750 et seq.

ADOPTED this 3rd day of November, 2010, by the Board of Directors of the Western Municipal Water District, Riverside County, California.

CHARLES D. FIELD

President, Board of Directors

November 3, 2010

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of Resolution 2694 adopted by the Board of Directors of the Western Municipal Water District at a duly-noticed regular meeting held on November 3, 2010.

Secretary Treasurer